

Counselor and Administrators Update

Agriculture Careers and Opportunities

March 20, 2012 • 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Kent ISD Educational Services Center
2930 Knapp NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49525

9:45 – 10:00 am Registration

10:00 – 10:15 am Welcome and Overview of the Day's Activities

10:15 – 11:30 am Ashley Collins, Educational Specialist from AgCareers.com

• What does the Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources (AFNR) Industry look like today?

• What are the current and future employment demand and opportunities in the AFNR Industry?

• What should the future employees in the AFNR Industry look like?

11:30 am – 12:00 pm AFNR Owners and Managers Panel Discussion

What skills and knowledge do you look for in an employee?

12:00 – 12:30 pm Lunch

12:30 – 1:00 pm Educational Pathways and Program of Study

Secondary

Certificate Programs
 Community College
 2 + 2 Programs

o Four year (BS and BA)

1:00 – 1:30 pm Next Steps: *What can we do together to achieve this?*

1:30 – 2:00 pm Question and Answers

Wrap up

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